

## Datasheet: MCA1972PE

<b>Description:</b>	MOUSE ANTI PIG CD18a:RPE
<b>Specificity:</b>	CD18a
<b>Other names:</b>	INTEGRIN BETA 2 CHAIN
<b>Format:</b>	RPE
<b>Product Type:</b>	Monoclonal Antibody
<b>Clone:</b>	PNK-I
<b>Isotype:</b>	IgG1
<b>Quantity:</b>	100 TESTS

## Product Details

### Applications

This product has been reported to work in the following applications. This information is derived from testing within our laboratories, peer-reviewed publications or personal communications from the originators. Please refer to references indicated for further information. For general protocol recommendations, please visit [www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/protocols](http://www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/protocols).

	Yes	No	Not Determined	Suggested Dilution
Flow Cytometry	■			Neat

Where this antibody has not been tested for use in a particular technique this does not necessarily exclude its use in such procedures. It is recommended that the user titrates the antibody for use in their own system using appropriate negative/positive controls.

<b>Target Species</b>	Pig		
<b>Species Cross Reactivity</b>	Reacts with: Camel <b>N.B.</b> Antibody reactivity and working conditions may vary between species.		
<b>Product Form</b>	Purified IgG conjugated to R. Phycoerythrin (RPE) - lyophilized		
<b>Reconstitution</b>	Reconstitute with 1.0 ml distilled water		
<b>Max Ex/Em</b>	<b>Fluorophore</b>	<b>Excitation Max (nm)</b>	<b>Emission Max (nm)</b>
	RPE 488nm laser	496	578
<b>Preparation</b>	Purified IgG prepared by affinity chromatography on Protein G		
<b>Buffer Solution</b>	Phosphate buffered saline		
<b>Preservative</b>	0.09% Sodium Azide		
<b>Stabilisers</b>	1% Bovine Serum Albumin		
	5% Sucrose		
<b>Immunogen</b>	Porcine large granular lymphocytes.		
<b>External Database</b>	<b>UniProt:</b>		

**Links**

[P53714](#) [Related reagents](#)

**Entrez Gene:**

[396943](#) ITGB2 [Related reagents](#)

**Synonyms**

CD18

**Fusion Partners**

Spleen cells from immunised Balb/c mice were fused with cells of the mouse P3-X63-Ag8.653 myeloma cell line.

**Specificity**

**Mouse anti Pig CD18a, clone PNK-I** recognizes porcine CD18a. PNK-I was clustered as CD18a at the Second International Workshop to Define Swine Cluster of Differentiation (CD) Antigens ([Saalmuller et al. 1998](#)). Clone PNK-I immunoprecipitates proteins of ~166 kDa, ~155 kDa and ~95 kDa under non-reducing conditions, specifically recognizing the 95 kDa protein, consistent with the integrin  $\beta 2$  chain (CD18). PNK-I inhibits porcine NK cell activity independent of any effect on antibody dependent cellular cytotoxicity ([Dato and Kim 1990](#)).

CD18 is a single pass type I transmembrane protein and is expressed on all leukocytes and is involved in a variety of cell functions. CD18 acts as a receptor for several ICAM molecules effecting intercellular adhesion functions, it is also involved in the recognition of a variety of extracellular substrate molecules.

CD18 acts as a receptor for a number of leukotoxins produced by fungi and bacteria. Clone PNK-I is able to ameliorate the effects of these leukotoxins by blocking binding of the toxins to the CD18 receptor ([Chen et al. 2011](#)).

**Flow Cytometry**

Use 10ul of the suggested working dilution to label  $10^6$  cells in 100ul.

**References**

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5. Vanden Bergh, P.G. et al. (2008) Probing of Actinobacillus pleuropneumoniae ApxIIIA toxin-dependent cytotoxicity towards mammalian peripheral blood mononucleated cells. [BMC Res Notes 1:121.](#)
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**Further Reading**

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**Storage**

Store at +4°C.

DO NOT FREEZE.

This product should be stored undiluted. This product is photosensitive and should be protected from light. Should this product contain a precipitate we recommend microcentrifugation before use.

**Shelf Life** 12 months from date of reconstitution.

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10075: <https://www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/uploads/MSDS/10075.pdf>

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